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KEITH CURRY, Ed.D.Chief Executive Officer

THOMAS E. HENRY Special Trustee May 15, 2014

Special Trustee Compton Community College District

Dear Special Trustee Henry:

This past month has been very busy with student activities and events celebrating student achievements. I trust you were as proud and thrilled as the students and their families at each student activity and at every event. On Friday, May 9, 2014, the District sponsored an "Employee Appreciation Breakfast" in recognition of the contributions of all District employees.

The next regular Board of Trustees meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 21, 2014. Closed session begins at 4:00 p.m., with open session commencing at 5:00 p.m. At the regular board meeting, there will be a presentation on the El Camino College Compton Center Student Success Scorecard by Marci Myers, Research Analyst for the El Camino College Compton Center.

Please mark your calendar for the Groundbreaking Ceremony for the Allied Health Building Project, scheduled for Wednesday, June 11, 2014 at 3:00 p.m. Parking will be available in Lots G and F.

The May 21, 2014 Board Agenda includes the following:

- A. The consent section includes various purchase orders necessary for operation of the District and the El Camino College Compton Center, as well as all personnel actions.
- B. The action agenda includes approving reappointments to the Citizen's Bond Oversight Committee; approving the 2014-2015 El Camino College Compton Center Academic Calendar; approving the utilization of the California Community Colleges Categorical Flexibility Provision; budget transfers; and the Notice of Public Hearing for the 2014-2015 Compton Community College District Tentative Budget.
- C. The discussion/information agenda includes the Special Trustee Advisory Committee meeting dates; the board meeting presentations and reports schedule for 2014; the Citizens' Bond Oversight Committee meeting dates; the first reading of the revised Compton Community College District Board Policy BP 3570- District Smoking Policy; and the Measure CC Bond Fund Category Budgets and Balances through April 30, 2014.

The items below are included for your perusal:

- 1. Copy of the El Camino College Compton Center Student Success Scorecard presentation.
- 2. Copy of the 2014-2015 Budget Workshop, from the May 12, 2014 Board of Trustees' Workshop.
- 3. Memo from Felipe Lopez, dated May 14, 2014, regarding the Byucksan Power US Inc. agreement.
- 4. Memo from Rodney Murray, dated May 14, 2014, providing an update on the Southwest Los Angeles Adult Education Consortium.
- 5. Memo from Linda Owens, dated May 14, 2014, providing an update on the Compton Construction Projects.
- 6. Memo from Reuben James, dated May 14, 2014, providing a list of the Special Events for the month of May 2014.
- 7. Compton Community College District and El Camino College Compton Center News Releases for April 10, 2014 through May 13, 2014.

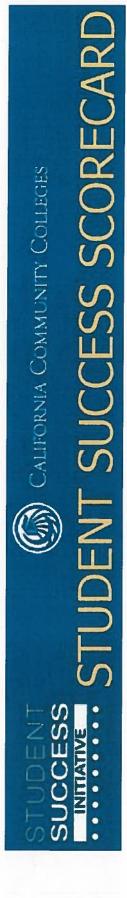
If you would like to request additional back-up information on any Board Agenda items prior to the May 21, 2014 board meeting, please contact Ms. Paula VanBrown, Executive Assistant to the CEO, at (310) 900-1600, ext. 2001. Any additional back-up information will also be made available to the public at the May 21, 2014 board meeting.

Sincerely.

Keith Curry

CEO

c: CCCD Board of Trustees
Vice President, Deans, Directors



El Camino College Compton Center 2014 Student Success Scorecard

Board of Trustees Meeting: May 20, 2014 Compton Community College District

Complete Student Success Scorecard is available on the Chancellor's Office Website: www.cccoo.edu

Scorecard (ARCC 2.0)

- Accountability report mandated by AB1417 since 2007
- Revised in 2013 in response to Student Success Task Force
- Four-tiered accountability framework:
- 1. CCC System report
- 2. Scorecard for each college
- Data Mart access to further disaggregation
- Data-on-Demand dataset downloads for further analysis

System Report – 2013 Highlights

- 167,946 certificates/degrees system-wide
- Effects of budget constraints:
- Enrolled students dropped 22% in 5 years
- CSU transfers declined by 20%
- College readiness linked to completion:
- 71% of prepared students complete, while only 41% of unprepared students do.
- 77% of students are unprepared for college.



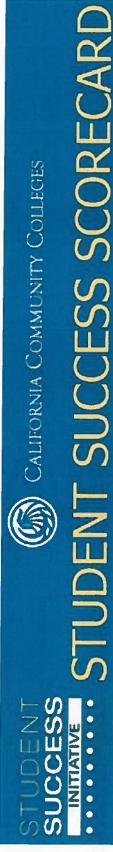


CALIFORNIA COMMUNITY COLLEGES

...... STUDENT SUCCESS SCORECARD

STUDENT INFORMATION		The state of the s	
Students			13,938
GENDER		ETHNICITY/RACE	
Female	62.9%	African American	37.4%
Male	37.1%	American Indian/Alaska Native	0.2%
Unknown	0.0%	Asian	4.7%
AGE		Filipino	3.0%
Less than 20 years old	23.5%	Hispanic	44.7%
20 to 24 years old	38.1%	Pacific Islander	0.8%
25 to 39 years old	27.9%	White	4.8%
40 or more years old	10.5%	Two or more Races	3.1%
Unknown	0.0%	Unknown	1.2%

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OTHER INFORMATION	Full Time Equivalent Students	Credit Sections	Non-Credit Sections	Median Credit Section Size	Percentage of Full-Time Faculty	Student Counseling Ratio



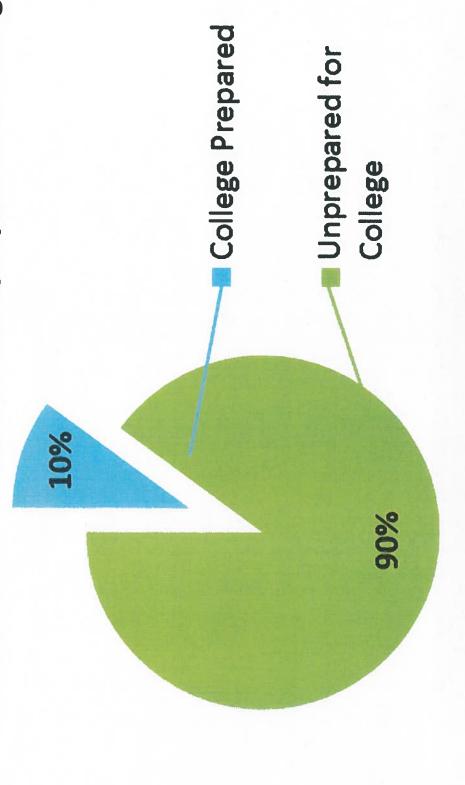
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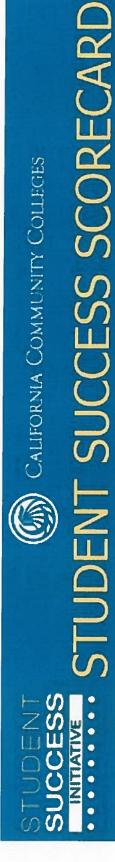
attempted in Math and/or English was college level **COLLEGE PREPARED**: Student's lowest course

UNPREPARED FOR COLLEGE: Student's lowest course attempted in Math and/or English was remedial level **OVERALL**: Student attempted any level of Math or English in the first three years

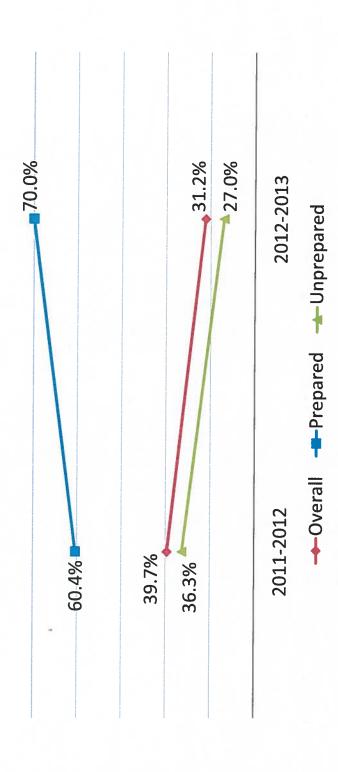


Percentage of 2012-13 Cohort Unprepared for College





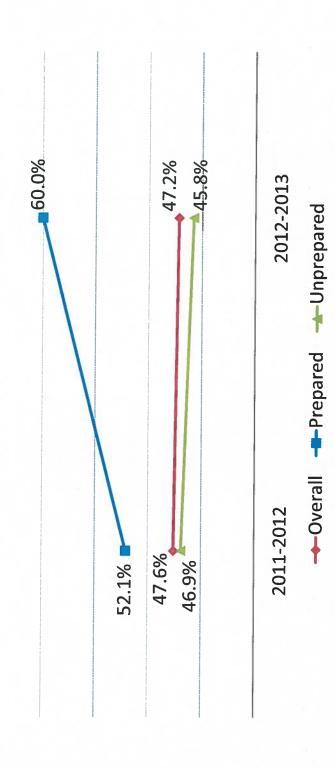
Completion Rates



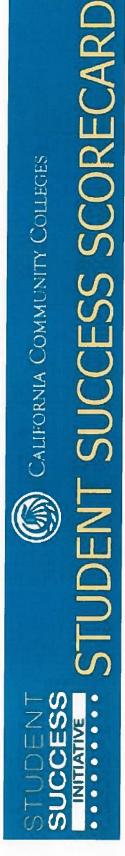
degree-, certificate-, and/or transfer-seeking students: the percentage who completed a degree, certificate or transfer-related outcomes anywhere in the CCC system within Among those whose first record in the CCC system is at El Camino College who are six years.



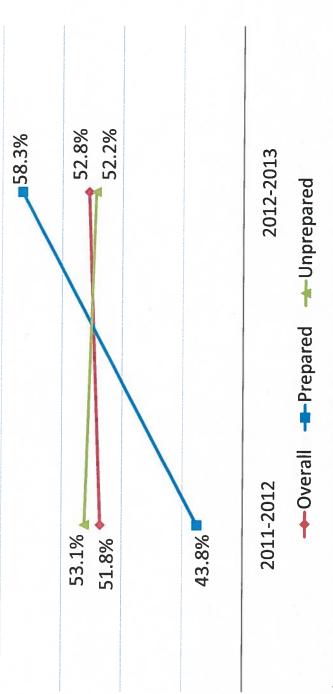
Three-Term Persistence Rates



degree-, certificate-, and/or transfer-seeking students: the percentage who enrolled in Among those whose first record in the CCC system is at El Camino College who are three consecutive terms from first enrollment, anywhere in the CCC system.



30-Units Completion Rates

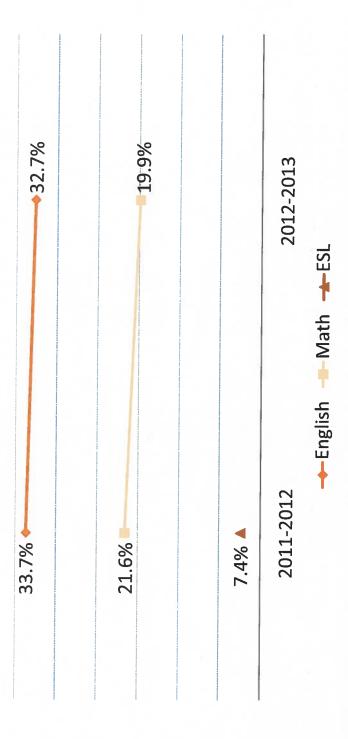


degree-, certificate-, and/or transfer-seeking students: the percentage who achieved at Among those whose first record in the CCC system is at El Camino College who are least 30 units anywhere in the CCC system within six years.



STUDENT SUCCESS SCORECARD

Remedial Progress Rates



and/or ESL in the CCC system is at El Camino College: the percentage who completed a Among credit students whose first attempt of below-transfer-level English, Math, college-level course in the same discipline anywhere in the CCC system within six



Career and Technical Education Completion Rates

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2012-2013 2011-2012

→CTE

Among those whose first attempt of a CTE course in the CCC system is at El Camino College and completed more than eight units in courses classified as career technical education (or vocational) in a single discipline: the percentage who completed a degree or certificate, or ₩ who transferred anywhere in the CCC system within six years.

Thank you!

Next Steps:

- 1. Special Trustee, Elected Board & community questions & discussion
- 2. Special Trustee accepts the 2014 Student Success Scorecard

Scorecard rates will be tracked and analyzed as part of local Student Achievement rates

Community College Budget and Finance

Compton Community College District

Board Workshop May 12, 2014 Presented by Felipe Lopez, Chief Business Officer

Agenda

- Overview State Budget
- District Finance and Budget
- 5-Year Budget
- What Challenges are ahead
- Questions

for caution, including the short term nature of Prop 30, outstanding state debts, and a tax system heavily reliant Governor's budget summary points out several reasons on capital gains.

Community College Highlights:

- Access: \$155.2M to fund a 3% restoration of access. A that gives priority to districts "identified as having the formula will be adopted for local growth allocations greatest unmet need"
- COLA: 0.86% or \$48.5M to fund COLA

- Student Success (SSSP): \$200M to support student success programs
- \$175M split between the two programs. One-time • Deferred Maintenance & Instructional Equipment: funds only.
- proposed one-time funds to completely eliminate debt • Deferrals: \$235.6M in the budget plus \$356.8M

- Prop 39: \$39M in funds to address energy efficiency projects.
- local technical assistance. State Chancellor's Office will • Improving Statewide Performance: \$2.5M to provide receive \$1.1M and 9 new positions to aid the effort.
- 2015-16 budget to implement plans being developed • Adult Education: Commits to provide funding in the

- Flexibility: Allows Districts to reallocate up to 25% of CALWORKS, & Basic Skills) to other federal, state, or local programs to meet the needs of student groups as funds from selected categorical programs (EOPS, identified in Student Equity Plans.
- Innovative Models of Higher Education: \$50M in onetime funding that recognizes models of innovation in higher education.

Budget Proposal Cautions and Concerns

The Governor notes the state's revenues and the Proposition 98 calculation are highly volatile due to a reliance on capital gains. Proposition 30 is temporary and will begin phasing out in 2017.

Current matching requirements in SSSP, Deferred Maintenance and Instructional Materials will make it difficult for the District to spend down these funds without making some major cuts in other areas. Estimated matching requirements will increase from $\sim 1.5M in FY2014 to $\sim 4.1M in FY2015

• FY2014 Budget has an Unrestricted General Fund Budget of more than \$31.7 million

• \$15K – Federal revenues

• \$26.3M — State revenues

• \$5.4M – Local revenues

District largest funding source

• State General Apportionment - Base Revenue FY2014 - \$30.5M

• State General Fund - 35.4%

Property Tax - 35.6%

• Education Protection Account (EPA) - 15.6%

RDA Dissolution - 6.5%

• Enrollment Fees - 6.8%

• FY2015 Estimated Budget for the Unrestricted General Fund - more than \$32.8M

• \$27.8M — State revenues

• \$5.0M — Local revenues

- District largest funding source
- State General Apportionment Base Revenue FY2015 \$32.3M
- State General Fund 71.4%
- Property Tax 12.4%
- Education Protection Account (EPA) 13.9%
- Enrollment Fees 2.3%

• District funding source

• Base Funding Credit FTES \$4,676.366

• Base Funding Noncredit FTES \$2,744.957

• FTES = Full Time Equivalent Student

• 525 credit hours = 1 FTES

• Estimated FY2015 Budget for the Unrestricted General Fund - more than \$33.8 million

Salaries & Benefits – nearly 74%

• \$13.1M—Academic Salaries

• \$6.1M – Classified Salaries

\$5.7M – Benefits

• Includes \$250K OPEB contribution into Trust Account

• Supplies, Materials, Operating, & Capital Outlay

• \$560K – Supplies and Materials

\$5.2M – Operating Expenses

• \$571K— Capital Outlay

Other Uses

• \$1.3M - Line of Credit debt payment

• \$668K – Interfund transfers

5-Year Budget Projection

• The Purpose

• Long-term planning tool

• Better decision making

Components

Assumed assumptions

Revenues

• Expenditures

What Challenges are ahead

• State is reinvesting in education — thanks to Prop 30 (EPA Funds)

• But Prop 30 is temporary

• Sales tax increase terminates at the end of 2016

• Income tax increase terminates at the end of 2018

• Will Prop 30 be extended or will State have sufficient revenues to fund education?

What Challenges are ahead

- General Fund approved in the Budget Act. It's now • In 2008-09, about 2/3rds of apportionment was $1/3^{rd}$.
- This means 2/3rds of the apportionment is based on estimates that may or may not hold up

Questions



OFFICE OF BUSINESS SERVICES

To:

Dr. Keith Curry, Chief Executive Officer

From:

Felipe R Lopez, Chief Business Officer

Date:

May 14, 2014

Subject:

Byucksan Power US Inc.

Below is a summary of the agreement with Byucksan Power:

Over the past several months, Linda Owen, Director of Facilities Planning and Operations and I have been meeting and working with Byucksan Power US to provide the District with some state-of-the-art building energy management system at no cost to the District. Byucksan Power has been working with Fred Harris at the State Chancellor's Office and the CCC/IOU Energy Efficiency Partnership.

Three Districts were selected to participate in a pilot program (College of the Canyons, Citrus and Compton). I believe this is a great opportunity for the District to gain valuable energy information on the campus. The proposal indicates that three buildings (Math/Science; Voc. Tech; Library SSC) will be equipped with smart meters and come equipped with iPads to monitor energy consumption remotely. All equipment and installation, which is estimated to be over \$100K is at no cost to the District. This program will operate and be monitored for a term of one-year. After the one-year term the District will have two options; 1.) End the program and keep all the equipment at no cost or 2.) Continue in the program and pay an annual maintenance cost of \$1,000 per year. The information that will be provided will allow the District to measure, monitor, and upgrade equipment that will allow us be more efficient and ultimately reduce utility costs.

Therefore, with no out of pocket expense from the District, the District has accepted and entered into agreement which will allow Byucksan Power to order the equipment for our campus.



Office of Dean of Student Learning

To: Dr. Keith Curry, Chief Executive Officer

From: Dr. Rodney Murray, Dean of Student Learning

Date: May 14, 2014

Subject: Southwest Los Angeles Adult Education Consortium

Here is an update on the Southwest Los Angeles Adult Education Consortium activities thus far:

January 31, 2014 the consortia sent our Certification of Eligibility Cover Sheets in which we named the consortia and described the process used to determine who would be the fiscal agent of the consortia.

On February 24 the consortia submitted preliminary budgets, identified members, and completed the project management plans that included strategies for shared leadership, organizational structures, roles and responsibilities and communication plans.

On March 3, 2014 the Board of Governors approved each completed regional consortium grant application, and the regional planning formally commenced on March 5, 2014. Consortia will receive half of their funding at commencement, and will receive installments upon receipt of scheduled quarterly reporting and invoicing.

The Regional Comprehensive Plan Draft must be completed by July 31, 2014 and focus on:

Objective #1. An evaluation of current levels and types of adult education programs, including education for adults in correctional facilities, credit, non-credit, and enhanced non-credit adult education course work.

For each of the five program areas listed in AB86, describe, in a narrative format, the services and programs the consortium members and partners are currently providing in the consortium's region and provide a narrative evaluation of adequacy and quality.

Objective #2. An evaluation of current needs for adult education programs within the consortium's region Describe and assess current needs for each of the AB86 adult education program areas (1-5), including the needs that are currently unmet.

Objective #4 Plans to address the gaps identified Describe how the consortium intends to respond to the gaps identified in the region. Identify programming and service gaps including lack of providers, services, access, attainment, and/or performance. Plans should also include strategies to incrementally increase capacity in identified gap areas (e.g., using distance learning to reach adult populations in a consortium's region who are currently underserved).

We are also planning a Town Hall Meeting to be held at the El Camino Compton Center July 16, 2014 to inform our stakeholders (elected officials, community leaders, business leaders, WIB, etc.) what AB 86 is and why it is important. We will provide them with information about our status in the process and map out our next steps.

MEMORANDUM

TO:

DR. KEITH CURRY, CEO

FROM:

LINDA OWENS, DIRECTOR OF FACILITIES PLANNING AND OPERATIONS

SUBJECT: COMPTON CAMPUS PROJECTS UPDATE (BOND AND STATE FUNDED PROJECTS)

DATE:

5/14/14

Project Update:

I. SSC Project

Final acceptance of the Student Success Center (formerly LRC) project by DSA will require the closeout of both 'A' numbers, which covers both original and new construction modifications. All 160 change orders have been DSA approved.

The Contractor, P.H. Hagopian, is complete. Installation of new computers in all the labs and offices is complete. The Library and Learning Resource Center moved into the L/SSC new building over Spring Break. The SSC opened its doors on March 27, 2014 to students, staff and faculty, several days before the scheduled March 31st deadline. The Grand Opening of the SSC Building is scheduled for April 15, 2014 at 2pm.

II. Music Building Renovation (Y-Area / Little Theater)

The current total project budget is \$1 Million. WLC Architect, the architect of record for this project, submitted the documents to DSA in December 2013. Documents are due back from DSA in August 2014.

III. Server Room and MIS Building Enhancements

Phase 1 of this project was completed in February 2014. Remaining phases are dependent upon future budget allocations. Both Infrastructure Projects have work that ties in to the MIS Project that is ongoing.

IV. Phase I - Central Plant / Stadium Lighting

The Photovoltaic (solar) panels are installed and terminated. The contractor is working on completing an interconnectivity agreement with SCE to operate the solar panels. The final power switch over to the new electrical system for the MIS and M&O Buildings was completed April 6th. The old central plant was decommissioned. The new central plant chilled water system is running manually providing cooling in the Math Science, Childcare, and Voc Tec, while the building cooling programming continues. The contractor is scheduled to complete work June 12, 2014.

Phase I – Utility Infrastructure

Landscaping and irrigation along the Main Road is complete. Programming for the new lighting is almost complete. Connection of domestic water, gas and sewer to the existing buildings continues. The contractor is scheduled to complete work June 12, 2014.

Retention Basin - The Retention Basin is complete. The contractor is installing irrigation and plans to hydro-seed the area in a few weeks. The District is planning to use this area as a practice field.

Project Update Continued...

V. Phase II – Utility Infrastructure

Landscaping and irrigation along the Main Road is complete. Programming for the new lighting is almost complete. Installation of a few fence panels in the northeast corner is the only item remaining for completion of east Greenleaf entrance. Connection of domestic water, gas and sewer to the existing buildings continues. Pending changes include a new trash enclosure in parking lot G and a ramp with a pathway at parking lot F. The contractor is scheduled to complete work June 12, 2014.

VI. Allied Health Building

Department of Finance gave final approval for this project at the end of February 2014. The Preconstruction meeting with the general contractor, AMG, was held March 20, 2014 at 10am. A Notice to Proceed was issued to AMG on April 14, 2014. The contractor has almost completed asbestos/lead abatement inside the building. The project duration is scheduled for 548 days.



OFFICE OF BUSINESS SERVICES

To:

Dr. Keith Curry, Chief Executive Officer

From:

Reuben James, Director of Fiscal Affairs

Date:

May 14, 2014

Subject:

May Events

Below is the list of the special events that are scheduled for the month of May 2014

Pacific Shock Waves

May 1 - 29, 2014

Track

Youth Track Practice

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm (Tues/Thurs.)

Field closed week of May 12-16

Campus Safety Forum

May 1, 2014

Staff Lounge

(Campus Police)

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Hands for Africa

May 1, 2014

Quad

(1 Day Vendor)

9:00 am - 6:00 pm

Straight and Narrow

Ministries

May 4, - 25, 2014

Student Lounge 9:00 am - 2:00 pm (Sun)

El Camino College

May 1-30, 2014

Track

Track Team

2:30 pm - 6:00 pm (Daily)

Nursing Student Forum

May 1, 2014

2:30 pm - 4:30 pm

Staff Lounge

ACEN

CTE-Women's Conference May 2, 2014

Gym

CalWorks/EOPS

May 2, 2014

Appreciation Breakfast

8:00 am - 2:00 pm

8:00 am - 3:00 pm

Student Lounge

Upward Bound Saturday Academy	May 3, 17, 31, 2014 8:00 am – 12:30 pm	D-32, 33, Y-99, VT-212 B
Upward Bound Saturday Academy	May 3, 2014 8:00 am – 12:30 pm	E-20
Cocaine Anonymous Meeting	May 3– July 12, 2014 6:00 pm – 10:00 pm (Sat)	V-70
COM 3 Mock Charity Conventions (class project)	May 5, 2014 8:30 am – 11:00 am	Staff Lounge
Counseling-Probation	May 6 – 7, 2014 11:30 am – 12:30 pm	F-31
Humanities/Mathematics Year End Luncheon	May 6, 2014 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Staff Lounge
Familia Prisions/Trauma Discussion	May 7, 2014 11:30 am – 1:30 pm	Staff Lounge
FYE-Year End Celebration Luncheon	n May 8, 2014 12:00 pm – 2:30 pm	Student Lounge
Staff Appreciation Break- Fast	May 9, 2014 8:00 am – 10:30 am	Student Lounge
Music Concert	May 9, 2014 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Student Lounge
Study Jams	May 12-14, 2014 12:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Student Success Center
Nursing Pinning Ceremony	May 13, 2014 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm	Gym
EMT Graduation Ceremony	May 14, 2014 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	VT- Atrium
ECCC Commencement/ Reception	May 15, 2014	Stadium/Gym



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For Immediate Release

May 12, 2014

Compton Community College District Board to Meet May 20

The next meeting of the Compton Community College District Board of Trustees is scheduled for Tuesday, May 20, at 5:00 p.m. in the Board Room at 1111 E. Artesia Boulevard, Compton, CA 90221.

All regular session Board meetings are open to the public. Closed session begins at 4:00 p.m. The Board Agenda is posted 72 hours in advance of the meeting on the District website, www.district.compton.edu.

About the Compton Community College District

Board meetings are usually held the third Tuesday of each month and are open to the public. The District is located at 1111 E. Artesia Boulevard, Compton, CA 90221.

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For Immediate Release

May 13, 2014

El Camino College Compton Center Presents Class of 2014

El Camino College Compton Center will celebrate its 8th Annual Commencement on May 15 at 5:30 p.m. in the Tartar Stadium. Addressing the Class of 2014 will be Leslie Sykes, co-anchor of ABC7 Eyewitness News, who grew up in the City of Compton.

Congratulations to the 373 students who have met the requirements to graduate with an associate degree. In addition, 82 certificates will be awarded. The following list includes El Camino College Compton Center 2014 associate degree graduates:

Cesar J. Acuna Anthony Adeshola Adepoju Bosa Chukwudubem Aduba Justin Daniel Aguilar Angelique OluwatoyinAjala Maryam Ahmed Alasow Brittany Lashawn Allen Juan Carlos Alvarez Pamela Alvarez-Reynoso Ivonne Amaya Violeta Amurao Juliana Anios Salome Chika Anosike-Guy Evelyn C.Arana Francis Astorga Alyssa M. Avila Jessica Marie Avila Maliki Y. Bahar Antwoinette Tyresa Baker Diiehma Michelle Bates Thomas Edward Batiste

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Thomas Edward Batiste
Phillip Darryl Battle
Rebecca Bautista
Charlisse M.Bennett
Michael Mason Benson
Nicolette C. Branch
Carolyn L. Breuer
Genice Tanicia Brown
Jaquita T. Brown
Jataundalyn Brown

Michawn T. Browning Thomas

Shawnn Brown

Tm Bryant
Carolee Burgess
Janelle Sherié Burns
Janae Marie Burns
Vanessa Byrd
Deisy J. Campos
Sandra Soraya Campos
Sheila Carag

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Juan Gerardo Carlos
Martha Carlos
Johana M. Carranza
Arturo A. Carrillo
Teru David Carter, Sr.
Liliana Castellanos
Zoila E. Castillo
Albino Celis, Jr.
Anthony P. Charles
Ana Delia Chavez
Sandra Ramos Cisneros
Keri Lynette Citizen
Lewis Joseph Citizen
Richard Edward Clayton

Sandra Laraine Coleman Shemesha Collins Luisana Conde Stacy Contreras Kathina Alexis Cormier Maribel Jovel Cornejo

Patricia Cortes Michael Leon Crockett Chantel Deann Crooks Britni Marie Darby Michael Tyrone Daugherty

Tariqa Davenport

Geneva Elizabeth Davidson

Tywanna Davis
Esther Dawson
Danisha DeBise
Keanth DeGuzman
Ariel Lee DeLeon
Kimberly Delgado
Leonardo Diaz

Chanise Denise Dixon
Paulette S. Dixon

Dawn A. Dorsey
Joanna Duque
Chris J. Edwards
Michael Emerson
Cortney Emmons
Khristian C. Ervin

Maria Esquivias
Omar Montes Felix
T'Icis Denise Fernandes
LaToya Denise Fields
Franklin Flores

Mercedes Deanna Flores

Mildred Flores

Gabrielle Candace Florimon Jennifer Andrea Florimon Britney René Floyd

Porsha Floyd

Nela Michelle Forbes Evelyn Louise Franklin Del-Mar Frazier Janice Funches
Lesbia Elena Gamez
Daniel Garcia, III
Cyntia Garcia
Jessica Garcia
Laura Garcia
Omar Garcia,
Yesica V.Garcia
Rosemarie Gespedes
Sharron Latriace Gilmore
Cyntoria Giyens

Cyntoria Givens
Sharon Elaine Glasper
Tiffany Christine Gomez
Christopher Gonzalez
Jacqueline Gonzalez
Tania Gonzalez

Stephanie Mahasin Goodwin

Nicole A. Grant Mercedes Licole Greer Ashley Rasheeda Griffin Sylvia Renee Guerra

Inez Guerrero
Cuauhtemoc Guillen
Andrea Guillermo
Nadia Gurrola
Edwin Gutierrez
Elisa Gutierrez
Erika Gutierrez
Amalia Guzman
Raney Claude Hadley
Michael Hagood

Maurice Lawrence Harvey Shantae Cherie Hawkins Tamara LaShawn Hawkins

Rodney B. Heinrich Jasmin Henderson Alma D. Hernandez Flora Hernandez Jesus A. Hernandez Priscilla Marie Hernandez

Tatiana Hernandez
Viridiana Hernandez
Blanca Herrera
Isabel Herrera
Bethany M. Hersey
Kanisha Erica Hill
Miracle E. Hill
Brittany Lee Hillard
LaTrell Damone Hitchens
Michellae A. Hitchens
Deniesha Janae Holliday

Shanya Hollie

Yuridia Howard Maria

William Huesca

Nicole Mischellia Hughes Robert White Hughing, Jr. Ivan Hurtado

Chi Jioke Joseph Ikegwuonu

Abigail Jackson DeShaundra Jackson Lucia Jasper

Nishun Rene Jenkins Daishannae C. Johnson Hysyanne Marie Johnson

Jeanice Johnson

Ronnie Martin Johnson

Amber R. Jones

Natasha Chriselder Joseph

Sean Kearns LaShanda R.Kelly Jamall King Kevin Lane Alejandro Lara Elvia Lara

Elvia Lara
Marcos Alberto Lara
Desiree F. Lavea-Tafau
Monique Nicole Lawson
Amber Ashley Lee
Rynisha Blondell Lemle
Monique Leonard
Roda Lynn Lockett
Michael Ray Long
Karla Lopez
Mario Lopez
Marisela Lopez

Thao Ly Terri R. Lynch Gloria Macias Diana Madrigal

Yesenia Loza

Duvall LaSalle Mariano

Gaby Marroquin
Latiesha Louise Martin
Travis T. Martin
Cristina Martinez
Cynthia Martinez
Jerrilyn Jasmin Martine

Jerrilyn Jasmin Martinez Patricia Taime Martinez

Sherlyn Martinez Victor Martinez Dennis Bryant Masias

Arcelia Mata Adaeze Mbagwu Carrie Y. McClain

LaQuinda Meshea McCoy

Trinity McGhee
Joshua Leon McNiece
Beatriz Medina
Evelyn Medina
Justin Luis Medrano
Denise Melendrez
Nelida Mendoza

Rocio Mendoza
Olga Mercado-Jackson
Katelynn Meredith
Omar Alexander Merida
Emmanuel Merino
Ogadinma Metu
Yazmim Cristal Mex
Deshawna Miles
Karen Millan
Margarita Millan
La Trica S. Miller

La Trice S. Miller Gloria Joyce Mitchell Phyllis Laurie Mitchell

Jalen Mix

Rosa Elena Molina
Janeth Monroy-Corado
Lela Nichole Moore
Andy Morales
Elizabeth Morales
Julieta Moreno Nava
Bennie Dwaine Morgan, Jr.
Adrianeka Vontrece Morrow

Emmanuel Mujica
Wendy C. Murdock
Maryam A. Myers
Georgia Marie Nairn
Michelle Naranjo
Christine Ann Nemitz
Paul Iregi Nganga
Jasmin H. Nguyen
Guadalupe Nunez-Herrera

Jennifer Adriana Nuno
Michele Renee O'Brien
Alexis Amanda Odom
Johnny Aliitaeao Ofisa
Shaquille Terrel Oliver

Carlos Ornelas Yesenia Ornelas James Otero

Florer Yetunde Owojori

Liza Jesus Page

Kevin Steven Panameno Tori Chantel Paschal Jake L. Pasimio Liliana Pastor Kyara Paz

Shaquanta Pearson Wilbert Richard Pearson

Gricelda Perez
Daranisha Perry
Amber Arnita Phillips
Shyra A. Phillips
Anntonnette P. Piggue
Walter Charles Plummer
Andrea Isabel Ponce
Heidy Arely Quezada Calles

Miguel A. Quintero Jeremiah Ramirez Robert Ramirez, Jr. Michael Rivera Ramirez

Noe Ramirez

Cheryl Denise Ramsey Lonese Parshonda Ramsey

Jasman R. Rand
JaQueta Raquel Reno
Billy Richie Reyes
Juan Reynaga
Aarion B. Richard
Anthony Richardson
Chandra Yvette Richardson

Leonor Rivas
Julio C. Rivera
Carmelita Robertson
Duncan Edward Robinson

Shenell Robinson Nestor Robles Jacquelin Rocha

Chivon L. Rodgers-Wicks Jacqueline Xiomara Rodriguez

Lucero Rodriguez Diana Sarai Roque Lagos

Alejandro Rosales
Ermina Rosic
Ralynn L. Ross
Jennie Rubio
Elly Saco-Craig
James Saint Louis
Nancy M. Salas
Andrea Salazar
Lester B. C. Salcedo

Nancy Adriana Saldana Francisco Salgado Jessica Salgado Ruben Samperio Blanca Estela Sanchez David Eduardo Sanchez Maria Guadalupe Sanchez

Twana Genice Sanders Angela Nicole Scranton Brandon Osias Segovia Cindy Serrano Sanchez

Yolanda Sanchez

Eduardo Silva
Nikia N. Simmons
Tiana L. Sims
Monique Slater
Britanny Enola Smith

Jonique Marshay Smith LaTanya Smith Maureen L. Smith

Daneasha Lynn Smith

Roger Smith Brandon Rene Solares Sonia Patricia Solares Scherrice A. St. Clair Kiana Renee Stepney Vincent Steward

Rachel C. Taira Alma J. Tapia Margarita Tapia Tiffany Teel Cressica Thomas La Donna Thomas

Andria Loretta Thompson Brandon Lee Tiffith Oliverio Topete Erika Torres

Jacquelyn Cher Torres Erika Alexandra Trejo Arnold Joe Trujillo Mykell Trunnell Angela Truong

Brandie Michelle Turner

Kalolo E. M. Utu Angelica Valencia Robin Valentine Jacqueline Van-Fuller Keidy M. Vargas

Kimba Katherine Varnee Cristian Damaris Veliz

Monica Vidal Maria Teresa Villa Nancy Villareal Sylvia Villegas Otilio Viramontes Tien Vu

Kymberlee Ashley Wallace Joyce Evenlyn Washington Darelle Tryee Watkins

Dee-Jay Wei

Antonia Whitaker-Kleckley Keiko Sharone White Jessica Michelle Wilbert Gabriel Grant Williams Carrie L. Williams-Brown Dashonda Shanae Willingham

Anja K. Wilson Jasmyn Wilson

Melanie Patrice Woods Jacqueline Denise Wyatt Crystal Michelle Yanez

David Zapata Beatriz Zapien

Kimiko Michelle Zeimet Daniel A. Zepeda

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May 12, 2014

El Camino College Compton Center to Host Nursing Pinning Ceremony May 13

El Camino College Compton Center will honor 34 students graduating with an associate of science degree in nursing at a pinning ceremony on May 13. The Nursing Pinning Ceremony is scheduled to take place at 6:00 p.m. in the ECC Compton Center gymnasium with a reception immediately following in the foyer.

The students receiving an associate degree in nursing are:

Tien Vu Alexander

Violeta Amurao

Charlisse Bennett

Carolee Burgess

Stacy Contreras

Britni Darby

Dominic De Guzman

Svlvia Guerra

Nadia Gurrola

Shantaé Hawkins

Shanya Hollie

Nicole Hughes

Nishun Jenkins

Natasha Joseph

Karla Lopez

Diana Madrigal

La Ouinda McCov

Sherlyn Martinez

Janeth Monroy-Corado

Lela Moore

Julieta Moreno

Georgia Nairn

Christine Nemitz

Michele O'Brien

Liza Page

Shaquanta Pearson

Noe Ramirez

Chandra Richardson

Julio Rivera

Ermina Rosic

David Sanchez

Jacquelyn Torres

Jacqueline Wyatt

Kimiko Zeimet

For information about El Camino College Compton Center's Nursing Program, contact Wanda Morris, Dean of Student Learning at 310-900-1600, ext. 2702.

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April 18, 2014

El Camino College Compton Center to Host Technical Conference for Women

El Camino College Compton Center has scheduled a free "Girls & Women in Technology Conference" from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. on May 2, 2014 in the Vocational Technology Building, located at 1111 E. Artesia Boulevard, Compton, CA 90221.

This conference is designed to introduce women and girls to educational paths and jobs in non-traditional careers that offer high pay, great benefits and job security. There will be workshops led by ECC Compton Center Career and Technical Education (CTE) Division faculty and community agencies. A job and resource fair is also on the day's agenda.

The conference will feature a panel discussion by women working in technical careers, moderated by Alejandra Torres, director of Women in Non-Traditional Employment Roles (WINTER). One of the guest panelists is Captain Sheila Hopper of the Compton Fire Department, who became the department's first African American woman firefighter when she was hired in 1986.

Workshops covering various career fields will follow. These "hands-on" interactive workshops will offer a look into career opportunities in areas such as welding; business; computer technology; heating, ventilation and air conditioning; electronics; EMT/fire technology; aerospace fastener manufacturing; machining; and robotics, among others.

Participants will have the opportunity to try out a variety of power tools and hand tools. Information on ECC Compton Center CTE programs, registered apprenticeships, and free job training opportunities will also be provided.

The conference is sponsored by the ECC Compton Center's CTE Division, Career Pathways, Air Conditioning/Icebreakers Club, Women in Non-Traditional Employment Roles (WINTER), R.E. Michel Company, and Women in Technology (WIT), among others.

To register, contact Career and Technical Education at 310-900-1600, extension 2779, or email azambrano@elcamino.edu. Participants who pre-register will receive a complimentary t-shirt and lunch. More information on the Career and Technical Education program may be found at http://www.compton.edu/academics/CTE/.

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Compton Community College District Special Trustee Appoints New Member to Special Trustee Advisory Committee

Joy Masha has been appointed by Compton Community College District (CCCD) Special Trustee Thomas Henry to serve on the Special Trustee Advisory Committee. Masha will serve a two-year term.

Masha resides in Paramount and is employed by the California State Senate. She served on the California State University, Dominquez Hills Student Fee Advisory Committee in 2009-2010. She is the executive director of Read Lead, a nonprofit educational initiative in Los Angeles, and she is a member of the Board of Trustees for Holy Trinity A.M.E. Church. Masha earned a master's degree in higher education from California State University, Fullerton and a bachelor's degree in human services from California State University, Dominguez Hills.

She joins six committee members:

Domitila Aguilar Amirah Hendrickson Marie Hollis Lestean Johnson Cynthia Macon Olivia Verrett

More information on meeting dates for 2014 and the role of the committee may be found by visiting the District website: district.compton.edu/board_of_trustees/special-trustee-advisory-committee.asp.

About the Compton Community College District

CCCD Board of Trustees meetings are usually held the third Tuesday of each month and are open to the public. The District is located at 1111 E. Artesia Boulevard, Compton, CA 90221.



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El Camino College Compton Center Faculty Members Honored by National Association of University Women

Two El Camino College Compton Center faculty members were recently inducted into the National Association of University Women's (NAUW) Hall of Fame by its West Coast Cities Branch for their ongoing contributions to the local communities related to education, social issues and community impact.

Vanessa Haynes, El Camino College Compton Center academic counselor, and fellow faculty member Pamella West-Lee, child development instructor, received their honors at the NAUW West Coast Cities "A Tribute to Excellence" Scholarship Luncheon in March.

Haynes, recipient of the 2012-2013 Distinguished Faculty award at ECC Compton Center, has served as an academic counselor and human development instructor since 1998. She is known for her commitment to innovation and passion for student success. She guides students by developing individual education plans, recommending workshops, and teaching human development courses. Prior to becoming an educator, Haynes served in the United States Army, 7th Infantry Division.

Haynes earned a master's degree in education counseling and student personnel and a bachelor's degree in social science from California State University, San Jose. She earned an associate degree from Monterey Peninsula Community College in Monterey, California.

Pamela West-Lee started teaching full time in the childhood development department in 1999, and currently also serves as division chair of student learning at ECC Compton Center. In addition to her teaching responsibilities, she is an advocate for education and is dedicated to supporting children, youth, families, and the community by making a conscious effort to use her educational expertise to provide personalized support to others in successfully attaining their goals.

West-Lee earned master's degrees in educational administration and teaching/curriculum with specialization in early childhood education, and a bachelor's degree in urban studies, planning and psychology from California State University, Dominguez Hills. As a current

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doctoral candidate, she intends to address "Mentoring: A Prescriptive to Alleviate the At Risk Syndrome" as her dissertation topic.

The NAUW serves women, youth and the disadvantaged in local communities and in developing countries by addressing educational issues, advancing the status of women's issues, and strategically partnering with allied organizations.

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El Camino College Compton Center opens library after seven year delay

April 17, 2014 by Mona Khalifeh | Reporter



The first floor of the new library at El Camino College Compton Center | Mona Khalifeh

Cutting a crimson ribbon often heralds a new building. For <u>El Camino College Compton Center</u>, it also represents a new beginning.

Visible from Artesia Boulevard, the two-story <u>Library-Student Success Center</u> that opened in March towers over the comparatively flat classroom buildings. A grand opening on Tuesday featured building tours and speeches by officials and community members to celebrate the addition. The glass building has already become the college's focal point.

The building is spacious and high-tech with chrome embellishments and a clean white interior that matches the futuristic gleaming glass. Some parts of the building even boast floor-to-ceiling windows. The first floor serves as an art gallery and library, while the Student Success Center with four drop-in tutoring centers occupies the second floor along with a writing lab with 100 computers and conference rooms for supplemental programs open to students and faculty.

The opening is especially significant because the Library-Student Success Center has sat lifeless for years.

The building was slated to open in 2007, but building code violations kept it closed. The \$25 million needed for upgrades finally came from 2002's Measure CC general obligation bond and State Capital Outlay funding – but only after Compton's four councilmembers lobbied full throttle for funds for the 44th Congressional District, which includes Compton.

Now that it's open, the building serves as a reminder to students of the school's potential, said Keith Curry, Compton Center's CEO.

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El Camino College Compton Center board and CEO Keith Curry cutting the ribbon that officially opens the college's Library-Student Success Center | Mona Khalifeh

"Seeing it open provides [students] with hope that we will be able to provide quality education for our campus and our community," he said.

The center provides a quiet place for students to study and for some, is the only place they can get work done. Business administration student Albino Celis says math was a weak subject when he began at Compton College, but now the center's tutoring and supplemental instruction programs are helping to turn his grades around.

Now a tutor at the center, Celis urges incoming students to take advantage of the center's extensive resources.

"The name says it — the Student Success Center is the place to go if students want to be successful," he said, citing the center's tutoring, supplemental instruction and library resources.

For faculty and staff, the center represents a positive change with the potential for bringing deep-rooted transformation for students.

Maria Estrada from First Year Experience, a program that helps first-year students transition to college, said the changes are turning Compton Center into a place students want to be.

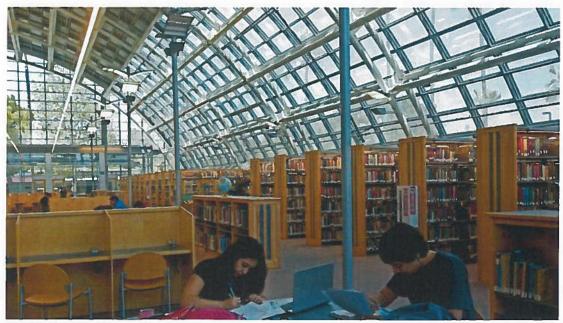
"Part of the beautification that has been going on in the last couple of years has been creating a sense of pride for our students," Estrada said.

The center has the backing of students, faculty and staff as well as the Compton community. Councilmembers, trustees, board members spoke at the opening, and Mayor Aja Brown stopped by to describe Compton Center as a symbol of hope and mobility for her family.

School officials said they hope the center can influence the whole community with its message of education's importance – perhaps helped by the attractive glow radiating from its tall glass walls.

Compton Community College library opens seven years later than planned BY JASON SONG

APRIL 15, 2014



Studying (Anne Cusack / Los Angeles Times)

Nursing students Monica Lanco, 20, left, and Fernando Gomez, 22, study in the library before the ribbon-cutting ceremony Tuesday at El Camino College Compton Center. The state-of-the-art library opened last month after a seven-year delay.

Jewel Wade remembers the tense atmosphere at Compton Community College in 2006, when it was rumored the school would close.

"The whole school was kind of depressing because nobody knew what was going on," Wade recalled Tuesday.

State officials did strip the school of its accreditation and turned the campus into a satellite of a nearby two-year college. The \$25-million library, which had been set to open in 2007, was found to be plagued with code violations and sat unused for nearly seven years before finally opening late last month after undergoing extensive renovations that cost an additional \$4 million.

"It's great," Wade said as he studied in the building, which has been renamed the El Camino College-Compton Library Student Success Center. Wade received his associate's degree from Compton but returned to get a nursing degree.

"The campus has changed a whole lot, and it doesn't feel like we're going anywhere," he said.



Computers (Anne Cusack / Los Angeles Times)

Maurice Elrington, 50, studies in the computer lab of the new Compton Community College library. He is studying to get a certificate and license in the heating and air conditioning field

During a ribbon-cutting ceremony Tuesday, numerous officials recalled the defects in the original structure. One person said he found screws intended for wood rather than ones for metal holding the 45,000-square-foot building together.

Thomas Henry, the trustee appointed by the state to oversee the district, remembered tripping over a set of narrow stairs and saying, "Those can't be up to code" — and later finding out they weren't.

Barbara Beno, president of the state organization that accredits community and junior colleges, said she once saw rainwater dripping from the library's ceiling and furniture being pushed away from puddles.

"It was sad," she said. "You could see the bones of the building were beautiful but that there were so many problems."

The problems weren't limited to the library. State audits revealed financial fraud, fake enrollments and missing computer equipment. The school was eventually taken over by El Camino College, which is in nearby Torrance.



Applause (Anne Cusack / Los Angeles Times)

Ronda Brackins is applauded during the grand opening ceremony for Compton Community College's new library. Brackins, who is majoring in business, would work at Target and then drive to the campus where she would sleep in her car before class. Now she uses the library before class.

The <u>Compton Community College District</u> has not regained its accreditation but hopes to do so in several years.

Beno said the library is symbolic of the progress that has been made.

"They're in much better shape," she said of district officials.

Campus administrators agreed that the library, which is in the heart of campus, has special meaning, and that many students and community leaders have asked when it would be finished.

"It feels good not to have to answer this one question: 'When is that glass building going to open?'" said Keith Curry, the district's chief executive.

The two-story building has floor-to-ceiling windows in some parts and boasts four drop-in tutorial centers, an art gallery and a lab with 100 new computers.

The new computers have made a big difference to Ronda Brackins, who is finishing her second year. Brackins, who declined to give her age, works the overnight shift at Target and came to the library the first day it opened to use the high-speed Internet.

After an earthquake last month, she drove to school to make sure the library hadn't been damaged. "It's made such a big difference," said Brackins, who needs only three more classes to graduate. "I was hoping nothing bad happened to it."



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El Camino College Compton Center Honors Students at Annual Academic Awards Tea

El Camino College Compton Center's annual Academic Awards Tea held on April 27 recognized the academic achievements of 19 honor students, two Presidential Scholars, six Alpha Gamma Sigma honors society students, and 27 scholarship recipients. Scholarships awarded by both ECC Compton Center and the Foundation for the Compton Community College District totaled \$26,000.

Honor Students:

Honor students are those graduating with a cumulative GPA of 3.50 and higher.

Michelle Dijehma Bates

Albino Celis, Jr.

Tariqa Davenport

Leonardo Diaz

Chanise Denise Dixon

T'Icis Denise Fernandes

Tamara LaShawn Hawkins

Jeanice Johnson

Yesenia Loza

Cristina Martinez

Agadinma Metu

Maryam A. Myers

Jennifer A. Nuno

Michele Renee O'Brien

Lisa Jesus Page

Miguel A. Quintero

Lonese Parshonda Ramsey

Lucero Rodriguez

Maria Guadalupe Sanchez

Presidential Scholars:

Jennifer A. Nuno

Miguel A. Quintero

Scholarship Recipients:

Juan Alvarez, Natural Science

Mark Aguirre, Jean Landon Taylor Scholarship

Evelyn Arana, Osher Scholarship

Yesenia Armijo, Behavioral and Social Science

Aryana Bradley, Fine Arts and Robert Spiecker Scholarship

Henry Ceja, Nursing

Guillermo Chacaltana, Dream Act

Lenyai Cheatham, Cooperative Agencies Resources for Education (CARE)

Luisana Conde, Osher Scholarship

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Scholarship Recipients continued:

Christine Fido, Re-entry Women

Devon Gibson, Humanities

Teresa Gladin, Child Development

Mary Hansen, Osher Scholarship

Saudhi Hernandez, Extended Opportunity Program & Services (EOPS)

Arnecia Hubbard, CalWORKS

Carlos Larreynaga, Mathematics

Lluvia Lastra, First-Generation Student

Shwanna Lynn, Osher Scholarship

Juanita Means, Special Resource Center

Frankie J. Montano, Osher Scholarship

Lee Montgomery, Career and Technical Education

Anissa Muhammad, Osher Scholarship

Kimberly Patron, Osher Scholarship

Alejandro Rosales, Osher Scholarship

Susan Toledo, Foundation for the Compton Community College District

Joel Wiseheart, Computer Information Systems

Alpha Gamma Sigma Awards:

Victor Cortez

Venice Gamble, Jr.

Lynnel Hines

Lucina Jasper

Miguel A. Quintero

Ralynn Ross

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